

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.SIRI JAGAN

FRIDAY, THE 20TH JULY 2007 / 29TH ASHADHA 1929

WP(C).No. 22416 of 2007(R)

PETITIONER:

KURIAN MATHEW, PUTHENPURAYIL,
PALLARIMANGALAM MURI, THEKKEKKARA VILLAGE,
MAVELIKARA TALUK, ALAPPUZHA DISTRICT.

BY ADV. SRI.THOMAS ABRAHAM
SRI.K.B.ARUNKUMAR
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RESPONDENTS:

1. STATE OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY ITS
SECRETARY, REVENUE DEPARTMENT, GOVERNMENT OF
KERALA, SECRETARIAT, TRIVANDRUM.
2. COMMISSIONER OF LAND REVENUE,
TRIVANDRUM,
3. THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR, ALAPPUZHA.

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI. I.V. PRAMOD

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 20/07/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:

S. SIRI JAGAN, J.

W.P.(C)NO. 22416 OF 2001

DATED THIS THE 20th DAY OF JULY, 2007

JUDGMENT

The petitioner is challenging Ext.P2 order by which the 1st respondent directed the petitioner to apply under the Right to Information Act for getting copies of the written submission submitted by respondents 2 and 3 in a revision petition filed under Section 83(2) of the Kerala Revenue Recovery Act.

2. I have heard the learned Government pleader also. It is the right of every party to a revision petition to get a copy of whatever document placed on the record by the other side. For that, the party need not go through the procedure under the Right to Information Act since it is his right to get a copy of the same even otherwise. Therefore, I direct the 1st respondent to issue a copy of the written submission filed by respondents 2 and 3 in revision petition bearing reference No.90097/H3/06/RD pending before the 1st respondent. The final orders shall be passed only after giving the petitioner an opportunity to file reply to such written submission.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

S. SIRI JAGAN, JUDGE

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